द्वारा आ जाते हैं। इसके लिए न तो प्रदेश के गृह सचिव के पास जाना है, न केन्द्रीय गृह सचिव के पास जाना हैं अगर आपको उसका प्रैजेंटेशन चाहिए, तो मैं वह संयंत्र लाकर उसका प्रैजेंटेशन भी दिखा दूंगा।

श्री उपसभापति: उसमें सरकार क्या करेगी।

श्री शिवराज वी॰ पाटिल: यह जो टेक्नोलॉजी की बात है, मैं उसके बारे में बहस नहीं कर रहा हूं। अगर ऐसी टेक्नोलॉजी डेवलप हो गई है, तो वह ठीक है, मगर केन्द्रीय सरकार के कहने पर या स्टेट गवर्नमेंट के कहने पर यह हुआ है, हमें आपने जो बताया है, वह बात आजकल के जमाने में बहुत जगहों पर सही निकल रही है, मगर इसका मतलब यह नहीं है कि यह सरकार के कहने से उठाया गया है आपने कहा है, आप माननीय सदस्य हैं, आपके कहने को हम बिल्कुल बाजू में रख कर नहीं चलेंगे, उसके अन्दर देख कर हम बता देंगे।

Need to desist from recognising new craft union in Air India by the Ministry of Labour

SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN (Kerala): Thank you, Mr. Deputy Chairman, Sir.

MR DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Just mention the issue only. Please do not make a debate.

SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN: Sir, this is a very serious matter in respect of arbitrary and illegal acts of the Labour Ministry officials. A strike by a section of the people yesterday has resulted in huge loss and damage to Air India. Sir, in our country, there is no specific law for recognition of trade unions. What we follow is that the recognition of trade unions is regulated by the consensus arrived at the Indian Labour Congress. The Indian Labour Congress adopted a Code of Discipline to which all Central trade unions are parties and the Code is accepted by the employers, trade unions as well as the Government. That is the existing policy of the Government of India. Sir, the set Code of Discipline is very specific that no recognition be given to the craft trade unions and the craft trade unions are never encouraged. Sir, here in the case of the Air India, what the Labour Ministry offciials have done is, they have violated this Code of Discipline and ordered election to recognise a craft union at the behest of a splinter union. They have carved out two constituencies, technicians and non-technicians. It has created a very big problem also. They have also prepared an electoral roll. It is very interesting to note whether it is within the authority of the Labour Ministry to decide who is technician and who is non-technician. The Air India management has given an electrol roll and

that has been changed by the Labour Ministry officials exceeding their authority. Also, Sir, I would like to say that the Air India Management has written a very specific letter to the Labour Secretary saying, "Please don't conduct this referendum. It will create unrest in the Air India industry." The Secretary, Civil Aviation has written a letter. The Centre for Indian Trade Unions (CITU), INTUC, HMS and UTUC, all the Central trade unions have written letter to the Labour Ministry requesting them not to conduct and encourage this craft union. Ignoring all these unions— the Air India Management, Civil Aviation Ministry, all the Central trade unions—this Central Labour Commissioner is proceeding with the election which is creating unrest among the Air India industry. It is going to set a very bad precedent in this country. So, I appeal to the Government, through you, Sir, that the Prime Minister Office has to intervene in this matter, because overriding of the right of the Civil Aviation Ministry by the Labour Ministry is not proper. That is why, a strike took place yesterday. It has created a huge loss to the Air India. And, tomorrow, this budget airlines is going to start creating unrest in the Air India industry by the Union Labour Ministry. It cannot be accepted. So, the Prime Minister office has to intervene.

SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE (West Bengal): Sir, it is a very serious issue because, as you know , the Air India is under going a process of revival. Right at this stage, when the Air India is passing through such a revival stage, creation of such a problem by accepting personal or sectarian demands through some vested interests is unnecessary. And, I must say, the roles of the Labour Minister and the Labour Ministry officials are very much questionable. I would request the Government to restrain the Labour Minister from acting in a pertisan manner. ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: He has spoken from your party. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE: Party division is not necessary. Division of states and division of things are all right. But division within the trade unions, if the Labour Minister is trying to start this practice, it will be very dangerous practice which is going to be initiated at the behest of some one.

SHRI JIBON ROY (West Bengal): Sir, one of the ...*(Interruptions)*... I appeal to the Government through you ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: He had already appealed. ...*(Interruptions)* ... One of your party members has already appealed. Mr. Dipankar Mukherjee has ...*(Interruptions)* ...

SHRI JIBON ROY: Sir, the Chair should understand, and the Government too should understand the significance of it. It is a subversion of the industry.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Let us not convert it into a debate.

SHRI JIBON ROY: Recognition to a craft union ...(*Interruptions*)... It is not a matter of debate. The Minister is presiding over the subversion of an industry. And, he does not know the system. That is the point. It is a subversion of industry ...(*Interruptions*)

MR.DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: You can make a Special Mention or in any other way ...(*Interruptions*) ...

SHRI JIBON ROY: It is not a matter of ...(*Interruptions*)... Subversion of law ...(*Interruptions*).... The Labour Minister does not know ...(*Interruptions*) ... You have to make him understand what is the law, what is the system ...(*Interruptions*) ... It is not the question who ...(*Interruptions*)... Nobody can recognise a craft union. Secondly, in an area like Air India. ...(*Interruptions*) ...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Jibon Roy, the Government wants to respond. ...(*Interruptions*) ...

कार्मिक लोक शिकायत और पेंशन मंत्रालय में राज्यमंत्री तथा संसदीय कार्य मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सुरेश पचौरी): आदरणीय उप सभापति महोदय, एयर इंडिया के इंजीनियरिंग डिवीजन, लाइंस मेंटेनेंस डिवीजन के कुछ कर्मचारी 27 अप्रैल, 2005 को यूनियन के चुनाव मुद्दे को लेकर हड़ताल पर गए थे जो कि चीफ लेबर कमिश्नर ने स्थगित कर दिए थे। उन्हें बताया गया था कि वोटर लिस्ट की प्रिपरेशन चल रही है। यह मामला बाद में सिविल एविएशन मिनिस्ट्री को रेफर हुआ और वोटर लिस्ट प्रिपरेशन के मामले को सुलझाने के बारे में सॉलिसिटर जनरल के ओपिनियन लिए गए । लेकिन मैं यह बताना चाहता हूं कि इस संबंध में कुछ यूनियंस के द्वारा मुंबई हाइकोर्ट में एक केस फाइल किया गया है कि चुनाव स्थगित कराए जाएं। मुंबई हाइकोर्ट में यह मामला सुना गया और उसने तब तक के लिए चुनाव स्थगित करने के निर्देश दिए , जब तक कि यह मामला सुलझाया न जा सके। इस मामले में सुनवाई की अगली तिथि 2 जून तय हुई है, फिर भी माननीय सदस्यों ने जो मुद्दे उठाए हैं, जो बातें उठायी हैं, उनसे मैं सिविल एविएशन मिनिस्टर ...(*Interruptions*)...

श्री दीपांकर मुखर्जी: लेबर मिनिस्टर भी।

श्री सुरेश पचौरी: और भी संबंधित मंत्रालय, जिनमें श्रम विभाग या अन्य विभाग हैं, उनको अवगत करा दूंगा।